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(BY SPECIAL MESSENGER) WFO (ENCLOSURES 2) TO: NEW YORK BALTIMORE

FROM:

DIRECTOR, FBI

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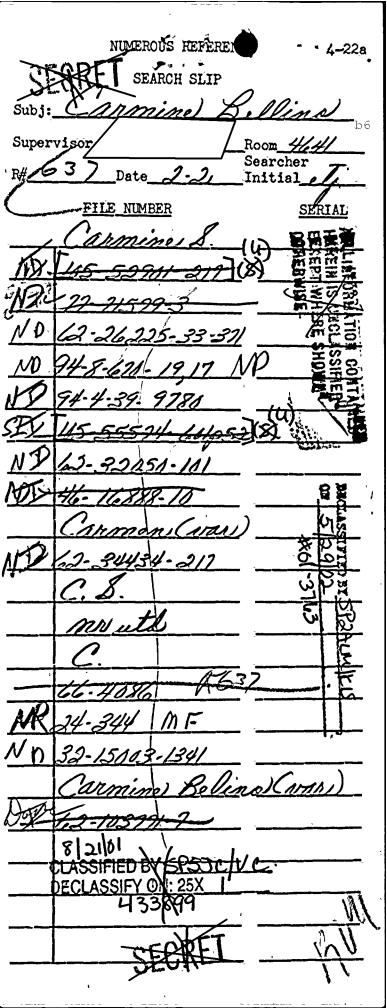
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## Office Memorandum • United States Government

TO: Director, FBI (File ) DATE: 3/2/6/

FROM: SC, WFO (File /6/-154

SUBJECT: Carmine Bellino

Re WFO letter 2-23-6/ This case will be delinquent.

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SUBJECT: CARMINE BELLINO

Refutal 2-2-6/ This case will be delinquent.

Date of Bureau deadline: 2-9-6/

Reason for the delinquency: Difficulty executived locating associates on Hill. Former fartner is out of town and warrailable for interior until 2-10-61.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT emorandum Malone McGuire Mr. Parsons 2/2/61 Tele. Room A. Rosen SUBJECT: SPECIAL INQUIRIES WHITE HOUSE Mr. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the President, in line with his conversation on 2/1/61 has now requested investigations of the following persons, who are being considered for the positions indicated: James M. Landis, Special Assistant to the President; Timothy J. Reardon, Jr., Administrative Assistant to the President; Carmine Bellino, Special Consultant to the President; Charles Phelps Noyes, Counsellor of U.S. Mission to the U. N.; Thomas Finletter, U. S. Representative to NATO; Arthur Schlesinger, Jr., Special Assistant to the President; John McCloy, President's Special Advisor on Problems of Disarmament; James W. Symington, Deputy Director, Food For Peace; Cyrus Roberts Vance, General Counsel of the Dept. of Defense: Kermit Gordon, Council of Economic Advisors; James Tobin, Council of Economic Advisors; George Docking, Member of the Export-Import Bank; Solicitor of Labor. Concerning Carmine Bellino, listed above, he was a Bureau Agent from 1934 to 1945, and since then has been working for numerous committees on Capitol Hill. with our usual procedures in such matters, the investigation of Mr. Bellino will cover the period from his date of separation from the Bureau to the present date, and a brief resume of his Bureau service will be included in the summary memorandum. Mr. Callahan 1960

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Memorandum to Mr. Parsons RE: SPECIAL INQUIRIES

These cases are being ordered to the field today for immediate attention.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

That the Administrative Division prepare a resume of Carmine Bellino's Bureau service for inclusion in the summary memorandum which will be prepared at the conclusion of the investigation concerning him.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON February 9, 1961 Mr. W.C.Sullivan Tele. Room. Mr. Ingram Miss Gandy.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I do want to thank you and your associates for your kindness in writing to congratulate me on my appointment as Special Consultant to the President.

I am extremely grateful to you for whatever success I have achieved, and it is hoped that I can continue to be deserving of your con-

fidence.

Sincerely,

Special Consultant

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The Honorable John Edgar Hoover Director

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice

Washington, D. C

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To: SAC, Washington Field (161-154) (BSM)

From: Director, FBI (161-254)

CARMINE BELLINO, aka SPI

Bellino allegedly subject in an article of local Washington newspaper on or about January 30 or 31, 1961, in regard to possible conflicts of interests. Washington Field make arrangements to review local newspapers in effort to locate article. Advise Bureau by 2/24/61 results and any leads developed.

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February 27, 1961

CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO Summer Born: July 26, 1905 Elizabeth, New Jersey

In response to your name check request, this is to advise that a current applicant-type investigation is being conducted. The results will be furnished to the White House. For detailed results of this investigation, you are referred to the Honorable P. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the President. (161-254)

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Present status of the above-mentioned applicant-NOTE: type investigation was obtained from SA Dick H. Young, on 2/23/61,

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This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the PBI. It is the property of the FBI, and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency. This is, in answer to your request for a check of FBI files.

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CAPUDE S. DELLING SPECIAL INJUINT



on February 2, 1981, this Eureau received the request for a background investigation of Mr. Felling from the Eureable P. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the President.

Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of this investigation conducted by this Eureau. A copy of this summary memorandum is also being furnished to the Sourable P. Kepneth O'Donnell, special Assistant to the President.

Information has been received from two governmental agencies indicating that checks of the files of those agencies concerning Mr. Selliau have not been completed. Then the checks have been completed, you will be advised.

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FROM : W. V. Cleveland

SUBJECT: CARMINE S. BI

CARMINE S. BELLINO SPECIAL INQUIRY

#### BACKGROUND

Special inquiry opened February 2, 1961, concerning Bellino at the request of P. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to President Kennedy. Bellino has been appointed a Special Consultant to the President and Director of the Budget. Investigation is complete except for checks of the Central Intelligence Agency and Secret Service files. Bellino is temporarily serving in the Department of Justice.

Bellino entered on duty as a Special Agent on 3/19/34 and thereafter was assigned to the Chicago, New York and Newark Offices. He served as a supervisor in the Investigative Division from 1/9/39 until 11/27/44, when he was transferred to the Washington Field Office. He submitted a voluntary resignation effective 3/7/45 due to the illness of his wife.

Since resigning from the Bureau, Bellino has kept in close touch with the Bureau and has talked with the Director and other Bureau officials on numerous occasions.

#### RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

Bellino was born 7/26/05 at Elizabeth, New Jersey. He received a Bachelor of Commercial Science degree from New York University and is a certified public accountant in the State of New Jersey. He has worked for various Congressional investigating committees, one of which is the Select Committee to Investigate Labor Activities in Labor-Management Relations. He has received a considerable amount of publicity as a result of testimony given before these committees.

Persons interviewed during the investigation recommended him for a responsible position and no derogatory information was developed. Belling

to the Attorney General.

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Memorandum to Mr. Evans RE: CARMINE S. BELLINO

#### RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the attached summary memorandum and transmittal letter be delivered to Mr. O'Donnell and that the attached summary memorandum and transmittal letter also be delivered to the Attorney General since Bellino is temporarily serving in the Department of Justice. orth

#### UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO

Mr. Mohr

DATE: March 23, 1961

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FROM

C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT:

DINNER IN HONOR OF

CARMINE BELLINO

APRIL 23, 1961, in NEW JERSEY

SAC Foster of the New York Office talked with Wick last night and mentioned that he has been invited to attend a dinner for Carmine Bellino on April 23 in New Jersey. He asked whether it was believed he should accept the invitation.

SAC Bachman of the Newark Office has also been invited and has indicated to you that he probably will attend.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

I see no need for Foster to attend the Bellino dinner and recommend that he be so told by me.

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FROM SAC NEW YORK 161-134

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TO- DIRECTOR, FBI, AND SAC, PHILADELPHIA

FROM- SAG, NEWARK /161-50/

CARMINE BELLINO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BD TWO NINE NEXT.

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TWO FOUR SIXTY ONE. REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATION FOR BELLINO RECEIVED FROM WHITE HOUSE. NAMED SPECIAL CONSULTANT TO PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR OF BUDGET. FORMER SA OF FBI. BROTHER, VITO BELLINO, RESIDES ONE FOUR FOUR THREE GROVAMIA AVENUE, RD, WILTON DRIVE, ABINCTON, PENNSYLVANIA. CONDUCT APPROPRIATE CHECK, VERIFY ADDRESS BY ACTIVE INVESTIGATION.

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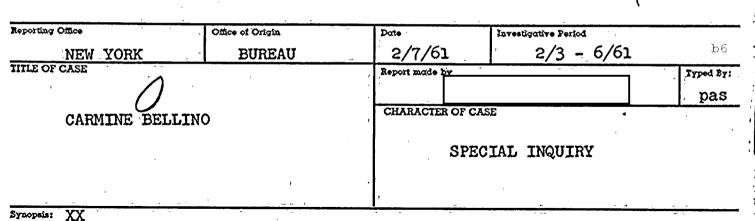
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NEW YORK

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Bureau File No.:

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CARMINE BELLINO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Appointee's association with the accounting firm of Wright. Long, and Company, NY, verified.

above firm, stated appointee partner in firm with respect to New Jersey accounts only; that appointee has not performed any work with firm in NY. He recommends appointee. No credit or arrest record located.

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#### DETAILS

#### Employment

Wright, Long and Company Certified Public Accounts 247 Park Avenue, New York, New York

firm, on February 3, 1961, advised that he met the appointee shortly after the appointee resigned from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). He said that the appointee wanted to become associated with an accounting firm in New York inasmuch as he, BELLINO, had some accounts in New Jersey that he wanted a firm to handle. Stated that for reasons which he does not recall now, he did not accept the accounts at this particular time.

reviewed the report that BELLINO prepared concerning this investigation, and that with the exception of making a few changes, the appointee did a marvelous job.

He said that Mr. BELLINO is a partner in the firm, with respect only to the New Jersey accounts

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which BELLINO brought into the firm. He said the appointed has never performed any work for the firm in the City of New York.
stated his association
with the appointee has been on a business relationship
only, and he has never associated with him socially.
He considers the appointee to be an individual who is
honest, trustworthy, and a very modest person, and he
has never had any reason to guestion his character or
loyalty. He said there are no other individuals in
the New York Office who would know the appointee inasmuch
as he was the only one who supervised the appointee's work.
He said that inasmuch as contact with the appointee was
on a business relationship, he could suggest the names
of no other individuals in New York who would know the
appointee.
did state however, that
New Jersey, has known the appointee in excess of 20 years
and could furnish background information concerning him
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to 1934, at which time he then became a Special Agent of
the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
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related that he has been associated with
CARMINE BELLINO in an accounting firm for governly verre and
maintains an office at New
Jersey. dvised that he is also a member of the
accounting firm Wright. Long and Company and that this firm
handles accounts for this area while Mr. BELLINO
handles accounts for the firm in the Washington, D.C. area.
advised that he considers CARMINE BELLINO
a man of integrity who is straightforward, reputable, honorable,
and loyal to the United States. He stated that he would recommen
CARMINE BELLINO for a position of confidence and trust in the
United States Government.
Elizabeth, New Jersey, advised on February 6, 1961 that
while he did not know Mar CARMING PRILING newsonally, he knew
his business associate. Mr. advised
that their accounting firm had an excellent reputation in the
community.
United States Attorney's
Office, Newark. New Jersey. advised on February 3 and 6, 1961
that she is She stated
that CARMINE BELLINO's father resides at 313 South 7th Street,
Elizabeth, New Jersey, and is approximately 90 years of age.
His brother VITO resides at 1443 Grovania Avenue, RD, Wilton
Drive, Abington, Pennsylvania.
Miss stated that CARMINE BELLINO has not
lived in Elizabeth, New Jersey, for many years but is associated
with an accounting firm at 286 North Broad Street, Elizabeth,
New Jersey.
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Police Department, advised IC on February 6, 1961 that he had no record of FRANK BELLINO, VITO BELLINO,
or CARMINE BELLINO.
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of Central New Jersey, Plainfield, New Jersey, advised IC
on February 7, 1961 that he had no credit
record for CARMINE BELLINO, VITO BELLINO, or FRANK BELLINO.

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MR. CARNINE S. BELLING

Mr. Bellino entered on duty in the Federal Bureau of Investigation on March 19, 1934, as a Special Agent, Grade CAF 8, \$2900 per annum. After a period of training, he performed investigative, accounting and supervisory duties. He submitted his voluntary resignation effective at the close of business March 7, 1945, due to the condition of his wife's health. At the time of his separation, he was receiving salary of \$5000 per annum in Grade CAF 12. Mr. Bellino's services were satisfactory and nothing is known which would reflect unfavorably on his character or integrity.

Memorandum prepared for the Employees Security and Special Inquiry Section for transmittal to Mr. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the President.

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Bellino received a final performance rating of Excellent. Subsequent to his separation, he has engaged in private accounting practice as a Certified Public Accountant in Washington, D. C., and Elizabeth, New Jersey, and has worked for numerous committees on Capitol Hill. He is on the Special Correspondents' List and was recently designated as Special Assistant to the President and Consultant on Accounting Matters. Portion of sentence limiting character and services to period of employment omitted in view of cordial relations Bureau has with Bellino.

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EDGAR PARKHURST, A RETIRED SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FEDERAL			
BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WHO HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH APPOINTEE			
DURING THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS IN HIS ACCOUNTING FIRM.	PARKHURST		
IS STAYING AT THE DUTCH MOTEL, TAMPA, FLORIDA, FOR A FEW DAYS.			
APPOINTEE IS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT			
FIRM OF WRIGHT, LONG AND COMPANY. NO RECORD OF THE FIRM IN			
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NEWARK, INDIANAPOLIS, PHILADELPHIA, AND BALTIMORE OFFICES

VERIFY RESIDENCES OF ABOVE RELATIVES AND CONDUCT APPROPRIATE

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CARMINE BELLINO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Former co-worker, a close personal acquaintance, recommends BELLINO highly for responsible position. BELLINO's son,

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#### ACQUAINTANCE

Boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa., advised that he became acquainted with Mr. CARMINE BELLINO in 1947 at Washington, D.C. He pointed out that he worked with Mr. BELLINO when both were engaged by the Atomic Energy Commission, as well as the Joint Atomic Energy Committee, at Washington, D.C., from 1947 through approximately 1950 or 1951. He said he has been in contact with Mr. BELLINO frequently since 1947 inasmuch as Mr. BELLINO has worked for various Government agencies and Mr. has been in contact with those agencies. As a result he has followed the work of Mr. BELLINO closely during these years. He said he considers himself a close personal friend of Mr. BELLINO and regards him as a man of high integrity who is completely loyal to the United States and, in every way, a dedicated public servant. He pointed out that Mr. BELLINO was extremely active in the work of the present Attorney General when Mr. ROBERT KENNEDY was involved in the investigation of various hoodlums and racketeers while affiliated with the MC CLELLAN Committee. Mr. related that Mr. BELLINO is a man of excellent moral character and reputation and that he is worthy of a responsible Government position. He said nothing has ever come to his attention which would in any way detract from Mr. BELLINO's fine reputation. Mr. added that Mr. BELLINO's son,
He added that no members of the BELLINO family have ever resided in the Pittsburgh area.
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CARMINE BELLINO

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SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Records FRC, GSA, SIMO, indicated CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO employed as Investigator with RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION, Washington, D. C., and transferred to WAR ASSETS ADMINISTRATION. Terminated by reason of resignation.

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DETAILS:

AT ST. LOUIS. MISSOURI

On February 15, 1961, a review of the personnel records of the FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER, GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, for CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO indicated that he was employed on April 2, 1945, as an Investigator with the RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION, Legal Division, Office of the General Counsel, Investigation Unit, Washington, D. C. Effective March 25, 1946, he was transferred to the WAR ASSETS DMINISTRATION, Compliance Enforcement Division, as a Special Agent by reason of relocation. This employment was terminated November 5, 1946, as a Special Agent by reason of resignation to enter private practice. A discrepancy is noted in the period of the above employment. Date and place of birth were shown as July 26, 1905, at Elizabeth, New Jersey.

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CARMINE BELLINO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

EDGAR PARKHURST, reference, highly recommends BELLINO with respect to character, reputation and associates.

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DETAILS:

AT MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA

#### REFERENCE

Mr. EDGAR PARKHURST, Secretary, Bellino Associates, Inc., Washington, D. C., advised that he has known BELLINO since the early 1930s. He said that both he and BELLINO worked together as Special Agents of the FBI and that he has been working for BELLINO since approximately 1954.

Mr. PARKHURST highly recommended BELLINO with respect to character, reputation, loyalty and associates and advised that he knew nothing of a derogatory nature concerning him.

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#### ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

During the interview of BELLINO on 2/13/61, concerning WALTER J. SHERIDAN, the subject of a current SPI investigation in WFO, BELLINO stated that he was aware that he was the subject of an FBI investigation and voluntarily furnished the following information regarding his relatives so as to be of assistance to the FBI:

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His parents are FRANK and FRANCES BELLINO. His mother is deceased and his father resides at 313 South Seventh Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey. He has no sisters and his one brother is VICTOR BELLINO, an attorney who resides in Willow Grove. Pennsylvania. He has

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#### <u>LEADS</u>

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AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Will report the results of the checks at CIA and Secret Service when received.

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CARMINE BELLINO

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Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Self-employment as CPA with various committees on Capitol Hill and by private industry verified and favorable. Supervisors, fellow workers, associates and neighbors recommended. Credit records favorable for appointee and wife. Criminal checks for appointee, wife, and son negative. Files of CSC and Passport files favorable re appointee. No record in files of HCWA.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

#### EMPLOYMENT

The following investigation at the United States Capitol was conducted by SA PAUL E. ERTZINGER:

Clerk, United States Senate Disbursing Office, interviewed on February 8, 1961, stated that his payroli records list the following employment for the appointee: Entered on duty as Special 10/10/47 Investigator - intermittent and when actually employed basis with Special Committee on National Defense. 2/10/48 Terminated. 3/17/48 Entered on duty as Accounting Consultant - Committee on Expenditures in Executive Departments - intermittent and when actually employed basis. Terminated. 2/15/49 Entered on duty as Consultant and Investigative Counsel - intermittent 3/14/49 and when actually employed basis -Committee on Expenditures in Executive Departments which during this period was changed to the Committee on Government Operations. Transferred to Banking and Currency 5/6/50 Committee (investigating Reconstruction Finance Corporation). Transferred back to Committee on 6/23/50 Government Operations. 10/24/51 Terminated.

Senate Disbursing Office, interviewed on February 8, 1961, stated that the appointee did not serve as an employee of the

Senate after October, 1951, but that his firm, Carmine Bellino Associates of Washington, D. C., had contracts with Committees of the United States Senate during the following periods, under which he supplied services:

March 13 - June 30, 1952	Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.
2/1/54 - 1/31/55	Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (Government Operations).
2/1/55 - 1/31/56	Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (Government Operations).
6/17/55 - 1/31/56	Joint Committee on Atomic Energy.
2/1/57 - 1/31/58	Permanent Subcommittee on Investi- gations (Government Operations).
2/1/57 - 1/31/58	Permanent Subcommittee on Investi- gations (Government Operations).
2/1/58 - 1/31/59	Permanent Subcommittee on Investi- gations (Government Operations).
2/1/59 - 1/31/60	Select Committee to Investigate Improper Activities in Labor- Management Relations.
2/1/60 - 3/31/60	Select Committee to Investigate Improper Activities in Labor- Management Relations.
2/1/60 = 1/31/61	Permanent Subcommittee on Investi-

gations (Government Operations).

said that the appointee is not presently under contract with the United States Senate.

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The records of the Disbursing Office of the United States House of Representatives checked on February 7 and 8, 1961, reflect that the firm of Carmine S. Bellino held the following contracts with Committees of the House of Representatives for services to be supplied:

6/1/54 - 7/29/54

Joint Committee on Defense Production as Consultant.

6/3/54 - 12/31/54

Committee on Education and Labor as Investigative Consultant and for expenses incurred.

2/25/60 - Present

Committee on Public Works as Consultant. Last payment was on December 29, 1960. This contract is still in existence.

It should be noted that the records of the Disbursing Office indicate that contracts are for lump sum amounts and no record is maintained for days actually worked.

HAROLD J. WARREN, Clerk and Counsel, Joint Committee on Defense Production, on February 10, 1961, advised that he has known BELLINO since he came to the Hill to work on various committees and he recalls that following the MC CARTHY hearings the investigation of the U. S. Tin Corporation, on which BELLINO had been working, was turned over to his committee and BELLINO joined their staff to complete the investigation. He said BELLINO was under his general supervision and he found him to be an extremely capable investigator. He said appointee's character, reputation, associates and loyalty were all above any question and he would recommend him most highly.

Professional Staff Member, Committee on Appropriations, United States Senate, on February 10, 1961, advised that he was formerly Chief Counsel of the Committee on Agriculture and obtained appointee's services on a contract basis. He also stated he has known appointee since 1935 or 1936, having worked with him in the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) in New York City and also in 1945-1946 he obtained appointee as his Chief of Compliance and Investigations at the Reconstruction Finance Corporation (RFC), where he handled surplus property disposal until he was transferred to the newly created War Assets Administration. He described the appointee as a most capable and highly regarded employee and also as a very good family man whose character, reputation, associates, and loyalty are all above any question. He said he would recommend him highly.

United States Senator CLINTON P. ANDERSON on February 10, 1961, advised that he has known appointee many years and has the highest regard for his ability. He stated

that while Chairman of the Joint Atomic Energy Committee he secured appointee on a contract basis to conduct certain investigations for him in which he did an outstanding piece of work. He said his character, reputation, associates, and loyalty are all very good and this country needs more people with his abilities and loyalty. He said he would recommend him without reservation.

JOHN T. CONWAY, Assistant Staff Director, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, on February 9, 1961, advised that although he was not in his present position at the time appointee worked for this committee, he nevertheless has known him well the past four and one-half years on Capitol Hill and is acquainted with his work on various committees during this period. He said he knows him socially and considers his character, reputation, associates, and loyalty to all be above any question. He said he is extremely capable and would recommend him without reservation.

PAUL E. KAMERICK, Assistant Counsel, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, on February 10, 1961, advised that he knew appointee casually in the FBI, but has known him well the past ten years on Capitol Hill. He stated they have worked together the past six years on the same staffs and he considers him to be outstanding in his field. He described his character, reputation, associates, and loyalty as all being the very best and indicated he would recommend him most highly.

United States Senator JOHN L. MC CLELLAND, Chairman of United States Senate Committee on Government Operations, of which the Select Committee to Investigate Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field (known as the Rackets Committee) was a part, and the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, on February 10, 1961, advised that he has known appointee very well ever since he came to this committee and he considers him to be a very aggressive, capable, enterprising, loyal and hard-working employee whose character, reputation, associates and loyalty are all above question. He said he would recommend him highly. He added that the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments was the predecessor to the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations.

JEROME S. ALDERMAN, General Counsel, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations on February 10, 1961, advised that he has known appointee extremely well socially and professionally the last fourteen years during which time they have worked together almost continuously. He stated he cannot say anything too good for the appointee and his character, reputation, associates and loyalty are all excellent. He said he is a very good family man and his abilities are "A#1," "Tops" and the "very best." He stated he would recommend him without any reservation.

WALTER L. REYNOLDS, Chief Clerk and Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Government Operations, on February 10, 1961, advised that while he does not work directly with the appointee on the Subcommittee or Select Committee, he nevertheless is very familiar with all his work and has nothing but the highest regard for him in every respect.

paul TIERNEY, Assistant Counsel, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations on February 9, 1961, advised that he has known appointee well since 1955, and has worked closely with him on the same committees since then. He stated they are closely acquainted socially and he has the very highest regard for him. He described his ability as outstanding and indicated he considered him to be the best investigator he has ever known. He said appointee's character, reputation, associates and loyalty are all above any question and he would recommend him without any hesitation.

Chief Clerk, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, on February 9, 1961, advised that she has worked directly with the appointee since October, 1947, on the old TRUMAN Committee and all the Government Operations Committees he has worked on ever since. She estimated that during the past nine years he has spent approximately 75 per cent of his time working for Government Committees. She said he is a most conscientious and hard-working individual whose character, reputation, associates and loyalty are all above any question. She said she would recommend him most highly.

Clerical Assistant, Senate Committee on Government Operations, on February 10, 1961, advised she has known appointee the past ten years on Capitol Hill and for a period of approximately three years while appointee was working on the "Rackets Committee," she did his secretarial work and frequently travelled with him for hearings and investigations. She said she also knows him socially through

activities with his family and she has the highest regard for his character, reputation, associates and loyalty. She said he is extremely competent and capable and she would recommend him most highly.

GEORGE M. KOPECKY, Chief Investigator, Federal Aid to Highways Subcommittee, United States House of Representatives Public Works Committee, on February 10, 1961, advised that he has known appointee since four and one-half years personally, through committee activities on the Senate side of the Capitol and also as an Consultant on a contract basis with this subcommittee since February, 1960. He said he worked closely with the appointee and has the highest respect for his ability. He described his character, reputation, associates, and loyalty as all being the very best and indicated he would recommend him most highly.

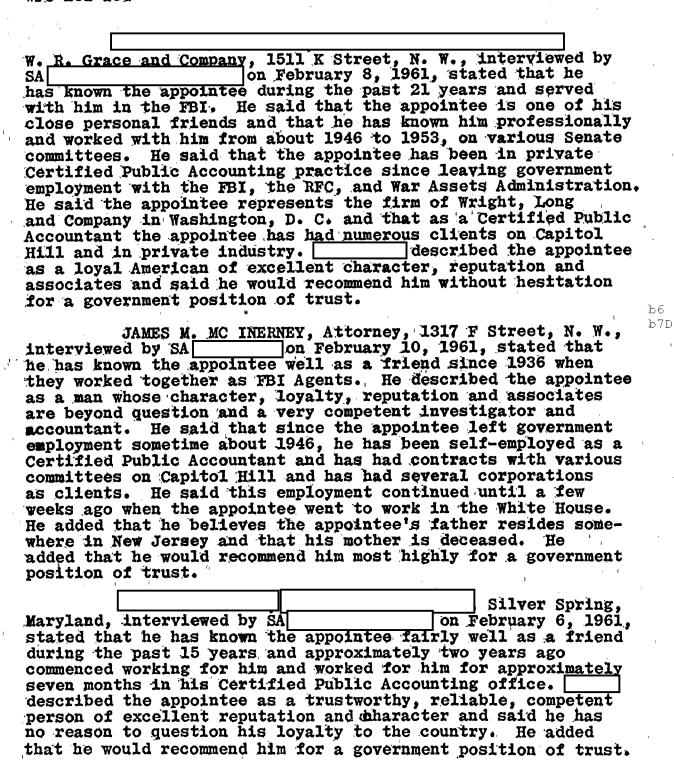
Administrative Assistant, Federal Aid to Highways Subcommittee, on February 10, 1961, advised that he has worked with the appointee on the Senate Rackets Committee and also on the above subcommittee and also knows him well socially. He described the appointee as a fine man whose character, reputation, associates, and loyalty are all outstanding. He said the appointee's abilities are extremely high and well regarded by everyone and he would certainly never hesitate to recommend him most highly.

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WALTER J. SHERIDAN, Special Assistant to the Attornev General. Department of Justice, interviewed by SA on February 10, 1961, stated he has known the appointee as a co-worker and friend since April, 1957. He said he has made occasional business trips out of town with the appointee and worked on Senate Committees with him. He described the appointee as an extremely hard worker who is capable, a loyal American and one who associates with reputable people. He said the appointee's wife is a woman of good character and that the would recommend the appointee for a government position of trust.

DONALD F. O'DONNELL, Acting Chief Counsel,
Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, interviewed by
SA PAUL E. ERTZINGER on February 12, 1961, stated that he has
known the appointee since 1953, and knew him very well
through his work on the various subcommittees he has worked
with on Capitol Hill. He knows him well socially and described
him as a very hard worker whose loyalty, character, reputation
and associates and above reproach. He further described him
as one of the most competent investigators he has ever
known and recommended him for a government position of trust.

Assistant Secretary of Army, interviewed by SA on February 13, 1961, stated he has known the appointee professionally and socially during the past 25 years. He said he worked on "the Hill" with him from 1952 to 1956 and regards him as a very able administrator and investigator who is a good family man and who is loyal and of excellent character and reputation. He recommended him for a government position of trust.



#### **NEIGHBORHOOD**

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On February 7, 1961, SA JOHN MINNO was advised by the following individuals that they know the appointee and his family as present neighbors, that they are residing at 9304 Jesup Lane, Bethesda, Maryland, and they also furnished the following additional information:
moved to this neighborhood six years ago and that the appointee was already living across the street. She stated she has heard that he and his family have been living here for about the past 17 years. She remarked she knew him and his family casually, and that she considers them as very good neighbors. She mentioned he has seven children,
She commented they are a wonderful family and she vouched for the character, reputation, associates and loyalty of each. She added she would unhesitatingly recommend him for a position of trust and confidence.
Mrs. Jesup Lane, said she moved here in November, 1960, and that the appointee was already living across the street. She said she met him and knows him casually only. She related he impresses her as a man of good character, and he enjoys a good reputation in the neighborhood. She further stated he has respectable friends and there has been no reason to question his loyalty to the United States. She said she would recommend him for a position of trust and confidence.
Mrs. Jesup Lane, stated she has known the appointee and his family as neighbors since June, 1958. She mentioned she has heard that he and his family have been living here for the past 17 years. She remarked she knows them socially stating she has entertained them in her home and has visited with them. She commented they are splendid neighbors and an exceptionally nice family. She vouched for the character, reputation, associates, and loyalty of each. She further stated she would highly recommend him for a position

Mr. Jesup Lane, stated he and the appointee moved into this neighborhood about 17 years ago and that they have been neighbors here ever since. Mr. said he does not know him socially but that they are very friendly and good neighbors. Mr. remarked there has not been any reason to question his character, reputation, associates or loyalty. He added he would recommend him for a position of trust and confidence.
Maryland, said he moved here eight years ago and has heard from others in the neighborhood that the appointee moved into the neighborhood about 17 years ago. Mr. said he frequently consults with the appointee on legal matters and that they know each other socially also. Mr. mentioned the appointee and his family are very active in church work.  Mr. described him as conscientious, selfless, industrious, conservative, of high morals, and unquestionably loyal to the United States. Mr. added the appointee has never violated the confidence entrusted him and accordingly, Mr. has complete faith in him. Mr. said the appointee's associates known to him are respectable people. Mr. said he would highly recommend him for a position of trust and confidence.
Maryland, said she moved into the neighborhood twelve and one-half years ago and she had heard the appointee has been living here for the past 17 years. She said she knows him and his family socially and she considers them very good neighbors. She described him as a sincere and trustworthy individual, a man of high character and integrity, who has respectable associates and is a loyal citizen of the United States. She said she would highly recommend him for a position of trust and confidence.
The records of the D. C. Credit Bureau, Inc., checked by IC on February 6, 1961, contained a credit report dated August 26, 1959, for CARMINE S. BELLINO and wife, SANTINA, residing at 9304 Jesup Lane, Bethesda, Maryland, since 1943. His employment was listed as self-employed Certified Public Accountant, 917 15th Street, N. W., since 1947. This credit report reflects they have a satisfactory credit rating.

or in the files of the Metropolitan Police Department, checked by SE on February 13, 1961; at all times an indefinite number of unidentified records are out of file and not available for review.
There is no record of the appointee, his wife, or son in the files of the United States Park Police, checked by IC on February 13, 1961.
There is no record of the appointee, his wife, or son, in the files of the Montgomery County, Maryland, Police Department, caused to be checked by SE on February 13, 1961.
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The appointee's file maintained at the Investigations Division. Civil Service Commission (CSC) was reviewed by IC on February 9, 1961. This file reflects that a record check and inquiry-type investigation was completed by the CSC on July 12, 1949, for the position of Consultant with the Department of the Air Force. This report reflects that he was previously employed by RFC from 1945 to 1946, War Assets Administration from March, 1946 to November, 1946, and as an "individual practitioner" from November, 1946 to date of investigation. His wife's name was listed as SANTINA. This file contained no additional pertinent information regarding him.
There is no record of the appointee in the files of the House Committee on Un-American Activities checked on February 7, 1961, by IC
The files of the Passport Office, Department of State, reviewed by SE on Fébruary 9, 1961, disclosed that CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO was issued special passport number 62052 on July 14, 1952, for one year's travel to London, England, Continental Europe, The Near East, and regions of Africa including Northern Rhodesia, Nigeria, French Equatorial Africa, Mozambique, Angola, Belgian Congo and Union of South Africa to conduct audits and investigations on behalf of Defense Materials Procurement Agency. He listed his birth as July 26, 1905, at Elizabeth, New Jersey, and his permanent residence as 105 Jesup Lane, Bethesda, Maryland.

He listed his parents as follows:

FRANK BELLINO, born October 6, 1871, at San Giovanni, Sicily, Italy, residing at 313 South Seventh Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey, emigrated to the United States in April, 1902, naturalized before the Common Pleas Court of Union County, New Jersey, at Elizabeth, New Jersey, on May 24, 1948 (#C6771439);

FRANCES BELLINO, born August 15, 1879, at Cammarata, Sicily, Italy, residing with father, emigrated to the United States in May, 1903 and was naturalized in same court and on same date as father, #C6771438.

He stated that he was married on June 6, 1936, to SANTINA I. NOVELLO who was born at Elizabeth, New Jersey, on November 2, 1908, and was residing with him.

He was issued passport number 553233 on May 9, 1928, for a two-month trip to all countries for the purpose of travel and study. The file also contained a letter dated May 17, 1928, from the Honorable ERNEST R. ACKERMAN, Congress of the United States, House of Representatives, to the Secretary of State. This letter stated that CARMINE BELLINO of Elizabeth, New Jersey, had advised him that he had obtained a passport to visit Italy, and asking if a letter of introduction to United States Representatives abroad might be issued to BELLINO. The letter also stated that it was one of BELLINO's greatest desires to "come face to face with Italy's man of the Hour-BENITO MUSSOLINE," and asking if it would be possible for the Consul to arrange this courtesy for BELLINO. The Department of State replied on May 22, 1928, that a letter of introduction to American diplomatic and consular officers abroad was being sent to BELLINO, but that it was against the policyoof the Department of State to furnish American citizens with letters of introduction to foreign officials, but that the letter of introduction, upon presentation to the American Ambassador at Rome, would serve him in his desire as far as it was possible.

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Synopsis:

Appointee's association with the Senate Permanent Investigations Subcommittee, Washington, D.C. verified. WILLIAM P. ROGERS recommends.

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New York, New York

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#### DETAILS

#### Employment

Senate Permanent Investigations Subcommittee Washington, D.C.

Mr. WILLIAM P. ROGERS, former Attorney General of the United States, now affiliated with the legal firm of Royall, Koegal and Rogers, 100 Broadway, New York, New York, on February 14, 1961, advised that the appointee worked for him on the above mentioned subcommittee for approximately two years during the early 1950's. He said that during this period the appointee performed outstanding work, was a tireless worker and is the type of individual who gets along well with the people he is working with.

Mr. ROGERS stated he has visited in the appointee's home and has met his wife and some of their children. He added he has also attended social functions with the appointee and that the appointee has always conducted himself in a gentlemenly manner.

He said he knew of absolutely nothing that would reflect adversely on the character, loyalty or associates of the appointee. He stated that in his opinion the appointee is well qualified to handle the position for which he has been named.

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Honorable P. Keaneth O'Bonnell Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C.

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ir dear Mr. O'Donnell:

In accordance with your request of February 2, 1961, an investigation has been conducted concerning ir. Caraine S. Belling. Transmitted herowith is a Summary memorandus containing the results of this investigation.

Information has been received from two governmental agencies indicating that checks of the files of those agencies conversing Mr. Bellino have not been completed. Then the checks have been completed, you will be advised.

The investigation of Mr. Bellino covered inquiries as to him character, loyalty, general standing and ability, but no inquiries vers ande as to the sources of his income.

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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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Birth

Mr. Bellino was born July 26, 1905, at Elizabeth, New Jersey.

Education

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Mr. Bellino attended New York University, New York, New York, from 1923 to 1928, at which time he was awarded a degree of Bachelor of Commercial Science.

During 1927 and 1928 Mr. Bellino enrolled in an Italian language course at Fordham University, New York, New York.

Mr. Bellino attended The State University, Rutgers, Newark, New Jersey, branch during 1933 and 1934, when he pursued a course in Public Finance.

In May, 1932, Mr. Bellino passed the Certified Public Accountant's examination of the State of New Jersey.

#### Employment

Tele, Room Ingram .

From March, 1922, to May, 1926, Mr. Bellino was employed as a bookkeeper and office manager for Pierrot Dress Makers, Elizabeth, New Jersey.

From 1926 to 1934 Mr. Bellino was employed as an accountant with Mills and Company, New York, New York,

Mr. Bellino entered on duty in the Federal Bureau of Investigation on March 19, 1934, as a Special Agent. After a period of training, he performed investigative, accounting and supervisory duties. He submitted Porsoni Moh# his voluntary resignation effective at the close of Belmont business March 7, 1945, due to the condition of his wife's Callàhan Conrad ... health. Mr. Bellino's services were satisfactory and nothing Del.ogch is known which would reflect unfavorably on his character Evans Malone or integrity. Rosen Tovel 11-25/- Me Marian 16-17 Trotter CRM:mrh:jmw W.C. Sullivan .

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From April 2, 1945, to March 25, 1946, Mr. Bellino was employed as an investigator for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Legal Division, Office of the General Counsel, Investigation Unit, Washington, D. C.

From March 25, 1946, to November 5, 1946, Mr. Bellino was employed as a Special Agent for the War Assets Administration, Compliance Enforcement Division, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Bellino has been engaged in private practice as an accountant-consultant since early 1947, having as clients several corporations, and performing investigations for various committees of the United States Senate and United States House of Representatives. Mr. Bellino had contracts with the following congressional committees from October, 1947, to October, 1951.

Special Committee on National Defense

Committee on Expenditures in Executive Departments

Committee on Government Operations

Banking and Currency Committee

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy

Washington, D. C., has had contracts with the following committees of the United States Senate and United States House of Representatives during the period from March, 1952, to the present time.

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations

Select Committee to Investigate Improper Activities in Labor-Management Relations

Joint Committee on Defense Production

#### Committee on Education and Labor

#### Committee on Public Works

Mr. Bellino has been a partner in the firm of Wright, Long, and Company, Certified Public Accountants, New York, New York, with respect to the New Jersey accounts which Mr. Bellino brings into the firm, since April, 1950. He has never performed work for this firm in New York, New York.

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#### Interviews

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General Life Insurance Company, Sacramento, California, stated that he has known Mr. Bellino since 1934, when both were employed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ who is a close personal friend of Mr. Bellino, related that Mr. Bellino is a meticulous worker with a great deal of ability. He described Mr. Bellino as a person of excellent character and integrity, and recommended him for any position of trust in the Government.

John L. McClellan, United States Senator from the State of Arkansas, when interviewed at Washington, D. C., stated that he has known Mr. Bellino well as a result of Mr. Bellino's activity on the Committee on Government Operations and the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, of which Senator McClellan is Chairman. Senator McClellan related Mr. Bellino is a very aggressive, capable, enterprising, and hard-working person. He considers Mr. Bellino to be a loyal citizen of excellent reputation and associates, and recommended him highly for a position of responsibility with the Government.

Clinton P. Anderson, United States Senator from the State of New Mexico, when interviewed at Washington, D. C., advised he has known Mr. Bellino for many years. Senator Anderson has the highest regard for Mr. Bellino's ability and stated Mr. Bellino did an outstanding job for the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, of which Senator Anderson was Chairman. He said Mr. Bellino's character, reputation, and associates are very good and that he is a loyal American citizen. He recommended Mr. Bellino without reservation for a position of responsibility.

Jerome S. Alderman, General Counsel, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, Washington, D. C., advised he has known Mr. Bellino extremely well socially and professionally during the last fourteen years. He said he and Mr. Bellino have worked together almost continuously during this period. Mr. Alderman related that Mr. Bellino is a person of excellent character, reputation, and associates, and is a loyal citizen. He said Mr. Bellino is a very good family man and rated Mr. Bellino's ability as "tops." He stated he would recommend him without any reservation for a responsible position within the Government.

Twenty-seven other persons, consisting of associates, social acquaintances, present and former co-workers, and neighbors, were interviewed and highly recommended Mr. Bellino for a position of trust and confidence with the Government. They stated he is a loyal American citizen of good character, reputation, and associates.

#### Close Relatives

In addition to his wife, Mr. Bellino has the following close relatives. His four daughters reside with him.

Mother, Frances Bellino, deceased.

Father, Frank Bellino, 313 South Seventh Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey.

Brother, Victor V. Bellino, 1443 Grovania Avenue, Abington, Pennsylvania.

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#### Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from the appropriate credit reporting and law enforcement agencies indicating that their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino or any of his close relatives.

#### Passport Record

Mr. Bellino was issued a special passport for travel to numerous countries in July, 1952, for the purpose of conducting investigations for a governmental agency. These files contain no derogatory information concerning Mr. Bellino.

#### Agency Checks

Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating that their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino;

Investigations Division, Civil Service Commission

House Committee on Un-American Activities

The central files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation contain no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino.

March 20, 1961

#### The Attorney General

Director, FBI

CARMINE S. BELLINO SPECIAL INQUIRY

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1 - Mr. Stanley

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Information has now been received from the Central Intelligence Agency and the United States Secret Service indicating that their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino.

This information is also being furnished to the Honorable P. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the President.

This concludes the investigation.

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Enclosed is a clipping from the "Newark Star-Ledger," Newark, N. J., and a photograph which appeared in the "Newark Evening News," Newark, N. J., each being today's date.

Some 1200 persons attended the dinner. FRANK HOLMES, former Bureau Agent, served as toastmaster. A number of former Bureau Agents were in attendance including JAMES McINERNEY. EDGAR PARKHURST, and JOHN DINSMORE, all of Washington, D. C.; JOSEPH HORNE, Peoria, Illinois; State Senator JOHN DEVLIN, Pittsburgh, Pa.; RALPH LE PORE, Wheeling, West Virginia; RALPH BATCH, JOHN J. KELLY, Newark, N. J., and others. U. S. Senators PATRICK V. McNAMARA of Michigan; HARRISON A. WILLIAMS, JR. of New Jersey, together with some U. S. Congressmen were in attendance.

A telegram to Mr. BELLINO from President JOHN F. KENNEDY was read. Telegrams from U. S. Senator JOHN L. McCLELLAN, Arkansas, and others were mentioned as having been received.

The Director's letter to Mr. O'Hara was read by the toastmaster and brought a good round of applause.

The Attorney General spoke briefly but did not specifically mention the FBI. He praised Mr. BELLINO for his integrity and honesty and stated that no name is going to rank higher than BELLINO's in the annals of governmental investigators. He stated that BELLINO had taken part in eighty per cent of all major investigations conducted by the Rackets Committee and at times had used assumed names to conceal his true identity during investigations.

Foregoing for information purposes.

More than 1,200 persons, including Attorney General and Mrs. Robert F. Kennedy, last night attended a testimonial dinner honoring Carmine S. Bellino on his appointment as special con-

sultant to President John F. Kennedy

The guests, most of them from Bellino's native Elizabeth fammed the Elizabethan Room of the Hotel Essex House in Newark to hear Kennedy and others honor Bellino.

Among the hundreds of congratulatory telegrams received was one from the President, who wired that "I regret that I can't be with you...good wishes..."

Bellino, in addition to his special consultant post, will also act as an advisor to the director of the national budget. He is a certified public accountant and a former FBI agent who helped capture John Dillinger in Chicago in 1934. He served as an investigator for the Senate Rackets Committee under Robert Kennedy when it probed labor union rackets.

Kennedy said he was "delighted" to attend the dinner and said "my brother, the President, feels very fortunate to have Carmine Bellino by his-side."

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HONORED—While Atty, Gen. Robert F. Kennedy, Enter, looks on, Carmine S. Bellino of Elizabeth, right, former chief investigator for Senate Labor Rackets Committee, receives plaque from Union County Sheriff Ralph Oriscello. Bellino was honored in Newark upon his appointment as a special consultant to President Kennedy. R CHARACTER:

SPECIAL INQUIRY
SUBMITTING OFFICE: NEWARK, N.J.

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## Memorandum

TO

The Director

DATE: MAY 4, 1961

FROM

N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT:

The Congressional Record

Pages A3020-A3021. Senator Williams, (D) Now Jersey, paid wibute to Carmino Belling. He included an article and an editorial from the Elizabeth (New Jersey) Journal concerning a testimonial diamer given for Mr. Belling at Essex House in Newark on April 23, 1961. Reference is made to Mr. Belling's former employment with the Eureau. It is pointed out in the article that "Frank J. Holmes, president of International Police Services Inc., Washington, and a former FDI colleague of Mr. Belling, was teasimaster." Mr. Belling was employed with the Buredu as an Agent from March 19, 1934, to March 7, 1945. His services were excellent. Mr. Holmes was employed with the Bureau as an Agent from December 2, 1940, to February 29, 1953.

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In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for MAY 3 1961 — was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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## Memorandum

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Mr. Conrad

DATE: 3/13/62.

FROM

W. D. Griffith

SUBJECT:

EXAMINATION OF CERTIFICATE OF APOSTOLIC BLESSING AWARDED TO

MR. CARMINE BELLINO

Assistant Director Courtney Evans brought to the Laboratory last night a certificate of Apostolic Blessing awarded to Mr. Carmine Bellino on November 27, 1961. He requested that it be examined to determine its method of preparation.

The certificate was examined with the aid of ultraviolet light and infrared radiation, infrared luminescence and special photographic techniques. It was found that the entire certificate, including the elaborate illumination, engrossing and signature, was prepared by hand, excluding the portrait.

an area from which a previous writing had been removed by physical abrasion. Remanents of lines of the previous writing were observed to contain what appear to be carbon particles. It is a reasonable assumption that the writing which was removed was a signature written in carbon ink.

It may be that these certificates, because of their elaborate nature, are prepared in advance, including the signature. Upon the death of the previous Pope there likely was a supply of these certificates already signed and, in the interest of time and economy, the signatures were removed. The text of the certificate indicates in the use of the plural verb form "beg" and plural pronouns "they" and "their" that this is a certificate prepared for issuance to two or more individuals, although it was actually issued to one person.

RECOMMENDATION: That this memorandum be directed to Assistant Director Courtney Evans who will advise the Attorney General orally of its contents.

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# GOP Senator Says Kennedy Friends Profit

By Robert J. Donovan Chief Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON.

Sen. Carl T. Curtis, B. Neb., charged yesterday that the government-controlled General Aniline Film & Dye Corp. is being used by the Administration to provide "patronage" for two friends of the Kennedys.

He cited these cases, both of which originated a year ago:

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worth \$1.5 million a year, was awarded to Lennen & Newell, Inc., 380 Madison Ave., New York, whose vice president is K. Lemoyne Billings, a personal friend of President Kenhedy and Attorney General

Robert F. Kennedy. In fact, Mr. Billings has been one of the, President's best friends since they were schoolmates at

Choate, in Wallingford, Conn.

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General Aniline, whose executive offices are at 111 W. 50th St., New York, produces films, cameras, chemicals and dye stuffs. It is owned by German nationals, but was vested as alien property during World War II. Under the law the Atforney General, whoever he may be, controls 97 per cent of the stock and thus can handpick the board that runs the company.

Attorney General was out of the city yes ay, but his office recalled that he had previously commented on these same two cases, which have been aired before.

His previous comment on the Billings case was to compliment the General Aniline board for having given the advertising contract to Lennen & Newell. He pointed out that the president of the firm, Adolf J. Toigo, is also listed in "Who's Who" as a "political adviser to the Republican party."

As for the accounting business, the Attorney General believed that it was wise practice to change accounting firms with a change in administrations. Thus, according to his office, he consulted Mr. Bellino and the account was switched to Wright, Long & Co. It had been held by the New York firm of Arthur Andersen & Co., which, incidentally, does the family accounting work of the Kennedys.

Neither Mr. Billings nor Mr. Bellino was available for comment yesterday.

At the Justice Department it was said that Mr. Bellino's only relationship with Wright, Long & Co. is an association in some small accounts he had handled as an accountant in Elibazeth. N.J., and had turned over to the firm.

Sen. Curtis told the Senate:
"Mr. Bellino is reported to have said that he is not a partner of Wright, Long & Co., but he has worked with them since 1950 and is their resident agent in Washington. . . His name is carried on the directory of the building at 247 Park Ave. as an occupant of the space in which Wright, Long & Co. is headquartered."

Sen. Curtis also referred to newspaper accounts that had quoted Mr. Billings to the effect that he did not personally handle General Aniline business and had done nothing more than "introduce some people." "What more political in-

fluence can come," the Senator asked, "from close to the White House?"

Under the Eisenhower administration the advertising account of General Aniline was handled by Benton, & Bowles, according to Sen. Curtis.

"Actually." he said, "the gravamen of the whole situation is the fact that the government continues to operate a competitive industry which boasts of assets of \$170 million and which employs 8,000 persons. It is operated by directors picked by the Attorney General, and it is obvious that the attributes of a private business, namely, legal fees, auditing fees and advertising fees, find their way to the faithful."

#### Action Is Urged

The Senator noted that "there is no apparent disposition on the part of the government to divest itself and permit the corporation to operate as a normal business."

"It does appear," he declared.
"that in this seventeenth year
following the end of World War
II we should be getting to the
place where a large and important industrial enterprise
can return to normal operation."

A year ago, Attorney General Kennedy said he would be delighted to have the government sell General Aniline and get out of the business. The Alien Property Act under which it was seized, however, provides that vested property may not be sold while there is any pending litigation involving it. Litigation over the ownership of General Aniline stock has been in the courts for years, and no end is in sight. A bill has been introduced in Congress to permit the sale despite litigation, but it has not got far.

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## Bobby Kennedy Passes the Gravy

WASHINGTON.—The Kennedy family began paying off political debts last month, and Carmine Belling, the bookkeeper for the anti-labor McClellan Committee was one of the first to collect.

Belling, who is waiting for J.

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General Aniline is a formerly German-owned corporation that was seized by the United States during World War II. It has never been returned. It has been used by the Justice Department for political pay-offs for years, and under Attorney-General Kennedy there has been no change in policy.

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In addition to the award to Bellino, the Kennedys also rewarded their old friend LeMoyne Billings with the \$1,500,000 advertising account of General Anlline.

John Snyder, General Aniline's chief executive officer and a Democratic Party fund-raiser, resigned shortly after the awards to Bellino and Billings, stating he livas "fed-up" with "political interference."

Bobbie Kennedy denied using

the big corporation for political pay-offs. He said, "I introduced a few people" to management executives of General Aniline, "I congratulate them on the excellence of their choice," he added. Other management officials of General Aniline told newsmen that it was not just Bobbie interfering with the internal opera-

tion of the company. They said that President Kennedy sent his executive assistant Andrew Ochmann to New York last April with instructions to transfer the advertising, auditing, and legal accounts to friends of the Kennedy family.

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont Re:
In connection with continuing claim to Vatican contacts, the First Auditor of the Apostolic Delegation, Washington, D. C. was interviewed. One of alleged contacts in the Catholic Church is The Apostolic Representative advised that was ordained a priest in 1942, suspended in 1945, defrocked in 1957, and excommunicated in 1959 is a poor man known in Italy as a swindler.
appeared at the Apostolic Delegation, was interviewed and proposed a fantastic deal whereby the Vatican would receive \$10,500,000.  claimed to have been told by Cardinal of the Vatican to contact the Apostolic Delegation. Upon inquiry said he had been approached by realized he was disreputable and had no dealings whatsoever with him. The Apostolic Representative has a copy of a photograph which shows receiving a Papal blessing. He explained that anyone in a crowded situation can push through the crowd and thus be photographed with the Pope.
telephoned the Apostolic Delegation after his arrest and wanted to know who their attorney was. He was given no advice. He subsequently engaged the services of known as former
On March 13, 1962, the Apostolic Delegate sent a plaque to the Attorney General containing a photograph of the Pope and a hand printed blessing to Carmine Bellino. At the request of the Attorney General the plaque was examined in our Laboratory and it was determined that the signature was over an area from which previous writing had been erased. The Apostolic Delegate felt similar plaques may have been distributed by
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WASHINGTON, March 23 (AP)—Senator Carl Curtis, Republican of Nebraska, told the Senate today that advertising and auditing contracts of a Gov-ernment-controlled corporation

ernment-controlled corporation had gone to friends of President Kennedy and Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

Senator Curtis said "political maneuvering of this Administration" had caused a shake-up in directors and contracts of the General Aniline and Film Corporation.

The Government took control

The Government took control of the foreign-owned concern during World War II under the Trading With the Enemy Act. The \$170,000,000 corporation still is controlled by directors and officials named by the Attorney General, and Mt. Curtis said General And line's advertising account, which he said is worth \$225,000 to \$250,000 a year, was switched to the New York firm of Lennen & Newell, Inc. He noted that K. LeMoyne Billings, a personal friend and former schoolmate of President Ken schoolmate of President Kennedy, is vice president of the ladvertising concern.

A General Aniline spokesman in New York confirmed last January that Lennen & Newell thad taken over the account in April, 1961. The spokesman said Reach, McClinton & Co., which had held the contract for the corporation's Ansvo and Ozalid divisions, had "resigned" and the new contract was negoti-

sated. Mr. Curtis said an auditing contract, worth \$65,000 a year icontract, worth \$65,000 a year in the past, had been given to Wright, Long & Co., also of New York City. He said the Washington agent for the concern was Carmine Bellino, who worked closely with Attorney General Kennedy on the staff of the old Senate rackets committee.

mittee, A Justice Department spokesman said the points raised by Mr. Curtis have been brought up several times during the last year.

Neither Mr. Billings or Mr. Bellino was available for comment tonight.

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Dear Kr.		 ,

he have been informed that Mr. Bellino was the subject of an investigation in 1961 by the Federal Bareau of Investigation for the White House. It will assist us in processing Mr. Belling's clearance if you would authorise the FBI to release a copy of that report to this Commission.

Sincerely yours.

Assistant Director for Administration Division of Security

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# Exit\_Bellino

CARMINE BELLINO will be the next member of President Kennedy's staff to leave the White House.

Tho he seldom basked in the limelight, Mr. Bellino was one of JFK's most trusted advisers. He is a certified public accountant and a whiz on investigations.

As a special consultant, he operated without portfolio, but not without a briefcase.

During the 1960 campaign, no one stayed closer to JFK than Mr. Bellino. Wherever the Democratic candidate went. Mr. Bellino followed. And he always carried his briefcase.

Only a trusted few knew exactly what was in it, but the word quickly spread that it was ammunition to be used if mudballs started flying in the race. The briefcase never was opened.

Mr. Bellino was discovered by Bob Kennedy when they worked together on the Senate Rackets Committee. It was Mr. Bellino who dug up much of the dirt on Jimmy Hoffa.

Bob Kennedy quickly learned that Mr. Bellino is a tough. brilliant man who could spot in minutes a cover-up in a set of books and prove his assumption with facts. When it came

### By George Clifford and Tom Kelly

time for JFK's campaign, Mr. Bellino was drafted for new work.

An exact date for Mr. Bellino's departure has not been set-his resignation has not yet been accepted by President. Johnson-but he will go within the next 30 days.

His exit-coupled with the resignation of Ted Sorensen, Arthur Schlesinger Jr., and Ted Reardon-already has tongues wagging.

Speculation is that there has been a major break between the Kennedy and Johnson forces. That is not so.

Each of the White House aides had a special reason for going. Friends say Mr. Bellino is leaving to pursue his business as a tax consultant.

They point out that Mr. Bellino is still performing assignments for the White House, a most unlikely occurrence if there was a genuine rift.

Mr. Bellino, they assert, now feels that there are others capable of doing the things JFK thought be did best. The Irish Mafia is losing its faculty adviser.

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GEN. REG. NO. 27 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan emorandum 1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop aspei 1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan Conrad Felt . D. Brennan DATE: 10/23/70 Gale: Rosen 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones Tavel Walters : W. R. Wannall (Bowers) Soyars - Mr. W. R. Wannall 1 - Mr. H. C. Flemister SUBJECT: OVERSEAS TRAVEL OF SENATOR EDWARD GURNEY (R), FLORIDA REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE FROM LEGAL ATTACHES By letter dated 10/20/70 the Attorney General (AG) 5 instructed us to cooperate fully with Senator Gurney in connection with inquiries he is making during a trip abroad in 11/70. to the AG's letter is a letter dated 10/16/70 from Senator John L. McClellan (D), Arkansas, Chairman of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, revealing that Gurney, a member of the Subcommittee, N accompanied by his Administrative Assistant Subcommittee Minority Counsel; Assistant Counsel to the Subcommittee; and Carmine Subcommittee; Investigator for the Subcommittee, plans to inquire into corruption, bribery, and black market activities involving military service clubs overseas. Their travels will take them to both Asia and Europe. While we have been asked to cooperate, it is observed that none of these matters come within our scope of responsibility. We feel, therefore, that the Legats should cooperate only to the extent of making appropriate introductions of members of FILED Gurney's group to local agencies to which the group may wish to address their requests. We\_enjoy excellent relations with Senator McCleplan; however, our files show that we have received 176 Nova 9id970from sources indicating that the Ku Klux Klan supported Gurney in his campaign for senator, and in return he has assisted Klan members in obtaining jobs. According to our files, has been descrass an opportunist, conceited, not friendly towards the FBI, and has been described would be antagonistic towards us if this would serve his purpose. appears to be identical with the subject of a Departmental applicant investigation conducted in 1954 which contains no unfavorable information. Bellinois a former Special Agent who served in the Bureau from 3/34 to 3/45, when he voluntarily resigned. He was a special consultant to former President Kennedy; and, in connection with a Washington Capital News Service release of 10/8/69 relating to a Senate investigation of military colips in which Bellino was shown as an accountant for the Senate Investigations Subcommittee, the Director noted, "I wouldn't believe Be Mino under oath." No information appears in our files 220ct 10-26-70 62-56NOV13-1970

Memorandum Wannall to Brennan -- Re: Overseas Travel of Senator Edward Gurney (R), Florida

#### ACTION:

- 1. Attached for approval is a letter to the Attorney General informing him that we will cooperate with Senator Gurney's group to the extent compatible with existing restrictions in areas where our Legats are assigned.
- 2. Attached for approval is a cable to appropriate Legats advising of Senator Gurney's travel and instructing the Legats to cooperate only to the extent of making introductions of members of Gurney's group to local agencies they desire to contact.

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REC-15 16/- 254 Director, FBI (161-254) From:

> CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO SPECIAL INQUIRY SENATE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY 4/7/71 **BUDED:** BELLINO CARMINE

Chairman, above committee, has requested investigation of Bellino, an employee of the Administrative Practice and Procedure Subcommittee. Born 7/26/05, Elizabeth, New Jersey, and resides 9200 Burning Tree Road, Bethesda, Maryland. Background data attached.

All offices, except Alexandria and Buffalo, refer to ureps containing the results of an investigation of Bellino conducted in 1961 at the request of the White House.

Bellino was also the subject of Atomic Energy Act -Applicant investigation in 1965 and 1970. Bring up to date since April, 1970, commensurate with current SPI procedures.

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COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

March 19, 1971.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

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Pursuant to Committee Resolution adopted at its organization meeting January 17, 1967, I am submitting the name of Carmine Salvatore Bellino, an employee of the Administrative Practice and Procedure Subcommittee, together with Form 86, United States Civil Service Commission, for the purpose of providing information to assist the investigation.

It will be appreciated if you will forward to me as Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary the report on Mr. Bellino when the investigation has been completed.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

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4/5/71

Office: Buffalo, New York

Field Office File #:

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Bureau File #:

Title:

CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY - SENATE COMMITTEE OM JUDICIARY

Synopsis:

No credit or arrest record located Buffalo, New York for applicant or his family.

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Details:

AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK

#### Credit and Arrest

The following individuals advised that a search of their files on April 2, 1971 revealed no record identifiable with the applicant or members of his family:

Credit Bureau of Greater Buffalo

Identification Division, Buffalo Police Department

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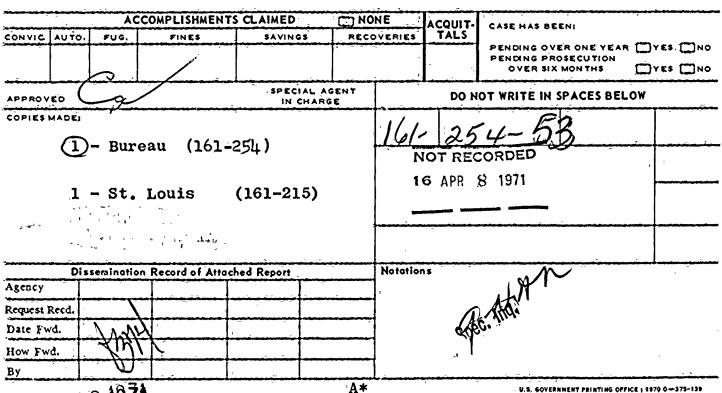
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Title:

CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Character:

SENATE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Synopsis: No credit or arrest record located at SL re applicant and relatives.

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#### DETAILS: AT SAINT LOUIS, MISSOURI

Records of Commercial Credit Services Company, 3333 Lindell, Saint Louis, Missouri and records of the Saint Louis Police Department, Saint Louis, Missouri were reviewed on March 31, 1971 by Investigative Clerk and no record was located identifiable with applicant or relatives. Investigative Clerk also reviewed records of Saint Louis County Police Department on April 1, 1971 and no record was located regarding applicant or relatives.

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Title:

CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY
SENATE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Synopsis: Employment U. S. Senate and prior employment AEC and prior self-employment verified. Professional associates recommend. Neighborhood inquiry satisfactory. References and personal associates recommend. Credit satisfactory. Police Agencies check negative. No additional pertinent information HCIS, CSC or State Passport.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

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	Investigator, Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure, U.S. Senate
SA RICHAR	The following investigation was conducted by D T. TAYLOR, JR., on April 6, 1971:
personnel appointee reviewed Investigateen employeen	Retirement Clerk, U.S. Senate g Office, advised the following additional actions have been taken with regard to the , CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO, since previously by a representative of the Federal Bureau of tion (FBI), in April, 1970. The appointee has oyed from June 1, 1970, to the present as tor, Subcommittee on Administrative Practice dure.
appointee has provide character appointee	Subcommittee Chief Counsel, e has been a close professional associate of the since June, 1970. This association with him ded Mr. with no reason to question the reputation, associates, or loyalty of the He recommends him to a position of trust assibility in the U.S. Government.
the appoing profession JOHN F. KI KENNEDY for concerning loyalty.	Special Assistant to Senator NNEDY, (Massachusetts), advised he has known ntee primarily as a result of his outstanding nal reputation as a former advisor to the late ENNEDY and as a close personal friend of the amily. He knows of no unfavorable information his character, reputation, associates, or He recommends him to a position of trust and lity in the U.S. Government.
Chairman d said he is	Mr. advised Senator KENNEDY, Subcommittee is not presently available for interview. He authorized to furnish the following information sence. Senator KENNEDY has known the appointee

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in a close personal and professional relationship for more than 12 years. The appointee is a loyal American of good character, associates, and reputation. He recommends him to a position of trust and responsibility in the U.S. Government.

The following persons had furnished favorable endorsements concerning the appointee to a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) in April, 1970. Each said they have continued in close professional association with him since that time and have no question concerning his character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. Each endorses the appointee to a position of trust and responsibility in the U.S. Government.

JEROME ADLERMAN, General Counsel, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations;

Chief Clerk,
Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations;

Administrative Assistant to Senator SAM J. ERVIN, JR., (North Carolina):

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Chief Clerk, Committee on Appropriations;

WALTER M. MAY, Chief Counsel, Special Subcommittee on the Federal- Aid Highway Program, U.S. House of Representatives.

Appropriations, advised that he has known the appointee for more than 25 years as a close personal and professional associate. He also is well acquainted with his family members and has traveled extensively with him on business.

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He considers his personal and professional ethics to be above reproach. He knows of no unfavorable information concerning his character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. Mr. recommends the appointee for a position of trust and responsibility in the U.S. Government.

It should be noted that the records of the Disbursing Office, U. S. Senate, indicate the appointee is a retired annuatant having begun his Federal retirement in July, 1967.

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#### Individual Practitioner

It should be noted that prior investigation revealed that appointee was a Certified Public Accountant and the sole representative of the Wright and Long Company in Washington, D. C. The headquarters of the Wright and Long Company are located in New York, New York.

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### Peace Corps (PC)

On Ap	ril 2, 1971, Mr.		Clerk,
Staff Personnel	Files, Division	of Personnel,	PC, and Mrs.
	Clerk, Voluntar	y Records Secti	lon, Office
of Administrati	on and Finance,	PC, advised SA	JOSEPH W.
SPEICHER that t	hey could locate	no record which	ch indicated
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#### **NEIGHBORHOOD**

9200 Burning Tree Road Bethesda, Maryland

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent ALLAN A. ANDERSON on April 2, 1971 at Bethesda, Maryland.

Mrs. a housewife, who has resided at this address since 1959, advised that the appointee, his wife SANTINA, She stated that appointee and his family have been her neighbors since 1961. Appointee and his family are fine neighbors who keep their property in an attractive manner: Appointee's son recently returned to the United States after a tour of duty overseas with the Peace Corps. She has socialized occasionally with the appointee and his family, and they have always conducted themselves in a commendable manner. Appointee is a stable, personable, polite, neat, intelligent, hardworking individual. Nothing has ever come to her attention which reflected unfavorably on the appointee or any member of his family's character, associates, reputation, or loyalty. Appointee is a fine family man and she has never known him to partake of intoxicants to excess. She recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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wife, advised that the appointee and his family have been excellent neighbors. She advised that she has not socialized with the appointee and his wife SANTINA other than through casual conversation. Appointee's wife is active in the various charitable drives conducted in the neighborhood. Appointee is a stable, polite, neat, personable, intelligent, hardworking individual. Appointee and his family enjoy an excellent reputation in the community and nothing has ever come to her

attention which would reflect unfavorably on the appointee or any member of his family's character, morals, associates, or loyalty. She recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

housewife, who has resided at this address for the past six years, advised that she considers the appointee and his family to be quiet, considerate, cooperative neighbors. She stated that her socializing with them has been limited to casual conversations. Appointee is a stable, personable, neat, polite, intelligent individual. Nothing has come to her attention which would reflect unfavorable on the appointee or any member of his family's character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. She recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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wife, who has resided at this address since December, 1970, advised that she knew the appointee and his family as neighbors only. She stated that the appointee, his wife, and their children have always been pleasant when she had conversed with them. Appointee and his family appear to be quiet, cooperative, congenial persons and nothing has come to her attention during the time she has been their neighbor that would reflect unfavorably on their character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. She did not feel that she was sufficiently acquainted with the appointee to express an opinion on whether to recommend or not to recommend him for a position with the United States Government.

#### REFERENCE AND PERSONAL ASSOCIATES

On April 5, 1971,
Westinghouse Electric Corporation, 1801 K Street, N.W., advised he has been acquainted with the appointee for many years. The appointee is a very outstanding man professionally and personally. The appointee is no longer a self-employed practitioner, and is currently employed at the United States Senate. The appointee is a very devoted family man and his character, associates, reputation, and loyalty are above any question. He highly recommends the appointee for a position of trust and responsibility.

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On April 7, 1971,

Civil Aeronautics Board, advised he has been acquainted with the appointee personally and socially for over ten years. He has never worked with the appointee, but knows the appointee as a very reputable and competent accountant. The appointee formerly worked at the White House, and after the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, the appointee was employed as an individual practitioner in the accounting field from, approximately, 1964 to 1970. During this period he also did some work for the U. S. Senate. He stated that, since the middle of 1970, the appointee has been employed by the Committee on the Judiciary, U. S. Senate.

He has very high regard for the appointee personally, and said his character, associates, reputation or loyalty are above reproach. The appointee's wife and family are likewise very reputable individuals. He highly recommended the appointee for a position of trust and responsibility.

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On April 6, 1971, SA PETER P. OSINSKI conducted the following investigation at the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission (USAEC), Germantown, Maryland.

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USAEC Commissioner, advised he has known the appointee, CARMINE S. BELLINO, for approximately 14 years. both professionally mately 14 years, both professionally and socially. He explained that he met the appointee when he, Mr. with the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy and Mr. BELLINO was associated with a Senate investigating committee. explained that he lives in the same general neighborhood as the appointee in Bethesda, Maryland, and there is some social contact between his family and the appointee's family. He considers the appointee to be a man of outstanding ability and recalled that appointee had served as a Consultant to the USAEC Board of Contract Appeals for a few years until 1970, and was for one year to the USAEC Office of Safeguards and Materials Management. In his opinion, the appointee had rendered a very valuable service to the USAEC. considers the appointee to be a man of high integrity. In his judgement the character, associates, reputation, and loyalty of the appointee are above question. He has no reservations concerning the appointee and highly recommended him for employment with the U.S. Government in a position of trust and confidence.

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U.S. Secret Service,
Department of the Treasury, advised SA MAURICE F.
DONEGAN, JR., that he has known CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO
for over 20 years, primarily through their activities
in the society of former Special Agents of the FBI.
He has gotten to know the appointee fairly well and saw
quite a bit of him during the period from 1961 to 1964
while appointee worked in the White House and Executive
Office Building as Special Consultant to President
JOHN F. KENNEDY.

Mr. has a high regard for appointee, and to the best of his knowledge the latter is widely known and well respected. The appointee has impressed him as a very capable, honest and trustworthy individual. He knows of no reason to question appointee's character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. He recommended appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the U.S. Government.

#### CREDIT AND POLICE AGENCIES

Special Agent CHARLES W. SMITH caused a search to be made of the files of The Credit Bureau, Incorporated, Washington, D.C., and was advised on March 30, 1971, that the files contained a satisfactory credit record for the appointee. on March 29, 1971, determined that no record was contained in the Metropolitan Police Department files concerning the appointee and relatives: BELLINO: It is to be noted that at all times an indefinite number of unidentified records are out of file and not available for review. On March 29, 1971, Investigative Clerk searched the files of the United States Park Police and no identifiable record could be found concerning the appointee and relatives. On March 29, 1971, Investigative Clerk searched the files of the Montgomery County, Maryland, Police Department, and no identifiable record was found concerning the appointee and relatives.

### MISCELLANEOUS

The files of the Housing Security were reviewed by Investig	
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TO DIRECTOR (161-254)

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CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, SENATE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY. BUDED APRIL SEVEN LAST.

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CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO. SPECIAL INQUIRY. BUDED PAST.

TO

REPORT OF SA APRIL SIX LAST.

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ARMY SERVICE REACRDS ON FILE AT NPRC-M, ST. LOUIS, MO., INDICATED CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO, SERIAL NO. A ZERO ONE NINE ZERO SIX ZERO FIVE, ACCEPTED A COMMISSION AS A LT. COL. IN US AIR FORCE RESERVE ON APRIL SIX, FORTYNINE, AND REMAINED ON INACTIVE DUTY UNTIL BEING HONORABLY DISCHARGED ON MAY FIVE FIFTYNINE IN SAME RANK. HE HAD NO FOREIGN SERVICE AND RECEIVED NO AWARDS.

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April 22, 1971

BY LIAISON

Honorable James O. Eastland Chairman Committee on the Judiciary United States Senate Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Chairman:

In accordance with a request received from you on March 23, 1971, an investigation has been conducted concerning Mr. Carmine Salvatore Bellino, an employee of the Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure.

Applicant-type investigations were conducted during 1961, 1965, and 1970 concerning Mr. Bellino. Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum setting forth the results of those investigations as well as the results of the current inquiries.

Sincerely yours,

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Honorable James O. Eastland

NOTE: Request received 3/23/71 from James O. Eastland, Chairman, Senate Committee on the Judiciary, requesting investigation of Mr. Bellino, aged 65, who is an employee of the Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure. Bellino was Special Agent, FBI, from 3/34 to 3/45. Investigation complete and favorable with the exception of a traffic moving violation fine concerning Mrs. Bellino.

April 22, 1971

CARMINE SALVATORE BELLINO SUMMANIA

THE INVESTIGATION OF MR. BELLING COVERED INQUIRIES IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES AS TO HIS CHARACTER, LOYALTY, ABILITY, AND GENERAL STANDING, BUT NO INQUIRIES WERE MADE AS TO THE SOURCES OF HIS INCOME.

Applicant-type investigations were conducted concerning Mr. Bellino in 1961, 1965, and 1970. This summary memorandum contains the results of those investigations as well as the results of current inquiries concerning him.

# I. BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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Mr. Bellino was born on July 26, 1905, at Elizabeth, New Jersey.

# Education

Mr. Bellino attended New York University, New York, New York, from 1923 to 1928, at which time he was awarded a Bachelor of Commercial Science degree.

During 1927 and 1928, Mr. Bellino was enrolled in an Italian language course at Fordham University, Bronx, New York.

Mr. Bellino attended Mutgers, The State University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, during 1933 and 1934, when he pursued a course in public finance.

In May, 1932, Mr. Bellino passed the Certified Public Accountant's examination of the State of New Jersey.

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Carmine Salvatore Bellino From 1926 to 1934, Mr. Bellino was employed as an accountant with Mills and Company, New York, New York. Mr. Bellino entered on duty with the Federal Bureau of Investigation on March 19, 1934, as a Special Agent. After a period of training, he performed investigative, accounting, and supervisory duties. He submitted his voluntary resignation effective at the close of business on March 7, 1945, due to the condition of his wife's health. From April 2, 1945, to March 25, 1946, Mr. Bellino was employed as an investigator for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Legal Division, Office of the General Counsel. Investigation Unit. Washington. D. C. From March 25, 1946, to November 5, 1946, Mr. Bellino was employed as a Special Agent for the War Assets Administration, Compliance Enforcement Division, Washington, D. C. Mr. Bellino has been engaged in private practice as an accountant-consultant since early 1947, having as clients several corporations, and performing investigations for various committees of the United States Senate and United States House of Representatives. Mr. Bellino had contracts with the following congressional committees from October, 1947, to October, 1951, on an intermittent basis: Special Committee on National Defense Committee on Expenditures in Executive Departments Banking and Currency Committee Joint Committee on Atomic Energy Mr. Bellino's firm, Carmine Bellino Associates, Washington, D. C., had contracts with the following committees of the United States Senate and United States House of Representatives during the period from March, 1952, to May, 1970: on an intermittent basis: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations

Select Committee to Investigate Improper Activities in Labor-Management Relations

Joint Committee on Defense Production

Committee on Government Operations

Committee on Education and Labor

Committee on Public Works

Mr. Bellino has been a partner in the firm of Wright, Long, and Company, Certified Public Accountants, New York, New York, and the firm's representative in Washington, D. C., Since 1960. He was on leave of absence from April, 1962, until April, 1964.

Mr. Bellino was appointed a special consultant to the then President, John F. Kennedy, on January 29, 1961, on a per diem basis when actually employed. His appointment was made permanent on April 15, 1962. Mr. Bellino resigned on March 31, 1964, to return as a partner to the accounting firm of Wright, Long, and Company in their Washington, D. C., office. He continued in this capacity until May, 1970.

Mr. Bellino, from February 1, 1965, until June 30, 1970, was a member of the Atomic Energy Commission Board of Contract Appeals in Washington, D. C., on a when-actually-employed basis. He also served as a consultant to the Atomic Energy Commission Office of Safeguards and Materials Management from October, 1968, until March, 1969, on a when-actually-employed basis.

Since June 1, 1970, Mr. Bellino has served in the capacity of Investigator for the Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.

# Marital Status

Mr. Bellino is married to the former Santina Irene Novello. They and four of their children,

Bethesda, Maryland.

### Military Service

Mr. Bellino accepted a commission as a lieutenant colonel in the United States Air Force Reserve on April 6, 1949, and remained on inactive duty until being honorably discharged on May 5, 1959, in the same rank. The records indicate that Mr. Bellino had no extended period of active duty while a member of the United States Air Force Reserve. His service record is clear.

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### Interviews

Electric Corporation, Washington, D. C., advised he has been acquainted with Mr. Bellino since 1947, when he and Mr. Bellino were employed by the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. Mr. considers himself a close personal friend of Mr. Bellino's and regards him as a man of integrity and one who is completely loyal to the United States Government. He indicated that Mr. Bellino is a dedicated public servant and a man of excellent character and reputation about whom there is no question be concerning his morals and habits. He recommended Mr. Bellino for a position of responsibility.

Department of the Treasury, Washington, D. C., advised that he has been a professional and social acquaintance of Mr. Bellino's for over twenty years. He stated they worked closely from 1961 to 1964 when Mr. Bellino was employed by the then President, John F. Kennedy. Mr. stated he has very high regard for Mr. Bellino and he knows him to be widely known and well respected as all consultant and investigator. According to Mr. Mr. Bellino has impressed him as a very capable, honest, and trustworthy individual. He stated Mr. Bellino's reputation, character, and loyalty are above question and he recommended him for an appointment to a position of responsibility in the Federal Government.

John L. McClellan, United States Senator from Arkansas, interviewed in Washington, D. C., stated that he has known Mr. Bellino well as a result of Mr. Bellino's activity on the Committee on Government Operations and the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations. Senator McClellan related that Mr. Bellino is a very aggressive, capable, enterprising, and hardworking person. According to Senator McClellan, he has relied upon Mr. Bellino for his opinion with regard to matters before the Committee on Government Operations over the years. He stated he has been in Mr. Bellino's company during extensive travel on behalf of his committee business. He considers Mr. Bellino to be a loyal citizen of the United States, and he recommended him highly for an appointment to a position of responsibility with the Federal Government.

Licensing Board, Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D. C., advised that he first met Mr. Bellino in the early 1940's when they were both employed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He stated that he was also a co-worker of Mr. Bellino's on one of the committees for the United States Senate. According to Mr. their families have had social contact inasmuch as they reside in the same area and are members of the same church. Mr. stated that Mr. Bellino's character, reputation, and loyalty to the United States are above question. According to Mr. Mr. Bellino is a man of integrity and one who is very competent, industrious, and diligent. He added that Mr. Bellino enjoys an excellent reputation on Capitol Hill. He recommended him for employment in a position of trust with the Government.

Jerome S. Adlerman, General Counsel, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, United States Senate, Washington, D. C., advised that he has known Mr. Bellino closely on a social and professional basis for the past twenty-five years. He stated that he and Mr. Bellino have worked together almost continuously during this period. Mr. Adlerman stated Mr. Bellino is a person of excellent character and reputation, and that he is a loyal citizen of the United States. According to Mr. Adlerman, Mr. Bellino is a very good family man who is extremely devoted to his wife and children. He indicated that Mr. Bellino's reputation is considered "tops." He recommended Mr. Bellino without reservation for an appointment to a position of responsibility with the Government.

Fifty-five additional persons, consisting of associates, acquaintances, present and former co-workers and supervisors, references, and neighbors, were interviewed. They advised that Mr. Bellino is a loyal American whose character, associates, reputation, and morals are above question. He was described as an outstanding investigator and as an emotionally stable, capable, and dependable individual. Mr. Bellino was recommended without reservation for an appointment to a position of trust with the Federal Government. Persons acquainted with his close relatives stated they are reputable individuals.

# Close Relatives

Mr. Bellino's parents, Frank and Frances Bellino, are deceased. In addition to his wife and children, mentioned previously, Mr. Bellino has the following living close relatives:

Brother	Vito V. Bellino Abington, Pennsylvania	
Son	,	
Son		
Daughter		
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# Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from the appropriate credit reporting and law enforcement agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino or his close relatives, except the following:

The records of the Montgomery County, Maryland, Police Department indicate that Santina Irene Bellino, Mr. Bellino's wife, was cited on August 3, 1960, for a moving violation, not further described, for which she forfeited \$11.45.

# Passport Record

The records of the Passport Office, Department of State, indicate that since July, 1952, Mr. Bellino has been issued five passports for travel to numerous countries in the Far East, Middle East, and Western Europe for the purpose of conducting investigations for governmental agencies and for personal business. These files contain no derogatory information concerning him.

# Security Clearance

A "Q" clearance granted to Mr. Bellino by the Atomic Energy Commission on January 29, 1965, was terminated during October, 1970.

# Agency Checks

Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino:

Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Civil Service Commission; House Committee on Internal Security; Central Infelligence Agency; United States Secret Service; and the Defense Central Index of Investigations, Fort Holabird, Maryland.

The central files of the FBI, including the files of the Identification Division, contain no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Bellino.